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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Iwagawa et al.  
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Title: **ELECTRIC PARKING BRAKE SYSTEM**

**AMENDMENT - B**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated 14 July 2004, please amend the above identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 4 of this paper.